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Diabetes Support Group to Discuss Retinopathy

People with diabetes have a higher risk of blindness than people without diabetes. To educate people with diabetes that the disease can cause eye problems and may lead to blindness, the Diabetes Support Group will host Dr. Mike Taylor to lead a discussion about diabetic retinopathy on Tuesday, January 16, at 7 p.m. Retinopathy is damage to blood vessels in the back of the eye.

Dr. Taylor is a member of the Diabetes Center Foundation and has extensive knowledge of retinopathy.

The meeting will be held at South Central District Health, located on the College of Southern Idaho campus. People attending the meeting should use the north entrance of the District Health building.

The Diabetes Support Group meeting is open to the public and there is no charge to attend. The group meets regularly at 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of each month at South Central District Health.

Contact Susie Beem at 737-5946 for more information.

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